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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : Robert WORSHAM et al.
SERIAL NO. : 10/774,483
FILED : February 10, 2004
FOR : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ELECTROSTATIC SPRAY
COATING OF MEDICAL DEVICES
GROUP ART UNIT : 1762
EXAMINER : Frederick John Parker

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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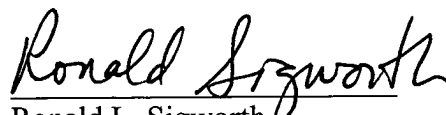
In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement mailed April 24, 2006, Applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 1-7, drawn to an apparatus. This election is without prejudice to or disclaimer of the non-elected claims. Applicant reserves the right to file one or more divisional application(s) directed to the non-elected subject matter in accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 121.

Although no fees are believed to be due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Kenyon & Kenyon Deposit Account No. 11-0600 for any applicable fee.

Should there be any questions concerning this matter, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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